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two offences they may hope to receive a lighter punishment than they would have to bear if they did not add to their crime the additional offence of drunkenness.

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**TIN ORE.**—Tin ore received at Newcastle and Mureparh for week ending February 19:—Mureparh to Newcastle, 36 tons 10 cwt. 2 grs. 12 lbs.; Mureparh to Newcastle, 36 tons 10 cwt. 2 grs. 10 lbs.;—Total, 66 tons 8 cwt. 4 grs. 22 lbs.



BERLIN, DECEMBER 17, 1875.

The Turkish affair is still on the same point that I described to you in my last letter. The three Imperial powers have consented to a programme of reforms, which should be recommended at Constantinople. The Sublime Porte which wants to avoid all pressure from abroad has played the "preventive." The Sultan has ordered by an Imperial firman the execution of political and administrative reforms. It decrees serious measures for the re-organization of the High Court of Appeal and the Courts of Cassation and of the ordinary tribunals. The firman then proceeds to declare that all subjects of the Porte, without distinction, are authorised themselves to elect the judges and the members of the Tribunal and Administrative Provincial Councils, who may be Mussulmans or non-Mussulmans. Subjects between Mussulman or non-Mussulman subjects will be referred to civil tribunals. No person may be detained in custody without trial, and no ill-treatment of accused persons will be permitted. Taxation will be applied in just proportion, and those taxes which may burden the population too heavily will be lightened. A mode of equalising taxation will be established, and, independently of the suppression of a fourth part of the titles, measures will be taken to prevent arbitrary procedure in the collection of titles by the persons to whom they are farmed. The police will no longer be employed to collect the taxes. The Mussulman or non-Mussulman population will itself elect the collectors. Reforms will be made in the laws affecting immovable property. All titles to property will be issued by the Director-General of the Archives. Right of property will be assured to all subjects of the Porte. The gendarmes will be chosen from amongst the men of best repute in each locality. The abolition of forced labour (*corvée*) is confirmed. The system of contributions for works of public utility will be amended, in order that it may cease to be of a vexatious character. The Minister of Commerce is to confer with competent men upon the measures necessary for the development of agriculture, manufactures, and trade. The Imperial firman confirms all the powers granted to the Patriarchs and other spiritual authorities for managing the affairs of their communities, and for the free profession of their religious belief. Every facility will be afforded for establishing churches and schools. Every official rank and all public functions will be accessible to non-Mussulman subjects. The tax for exemption from military service will only be paid by non-Mussulman subjects between the ages of 20 and 40 years, and will be reduced to a just proportion with the general amount of taxation paid by the individual. The collection will be effected by the tax-payers themselves. Invalid persons will be exempt. The rate of exemption from active service for Mussulmans will be reduced from 100 to 60 Turkish pounds. All non-Mussulman subjects in the provinces may acquire landed and house property, and their testamentary dispositions will be respected, the authorities only intervening in the case of complaint against the guardian or testamentary executor. "The law," says the Imperial firman, "must be respected by all people, great or small." The people may without hindrance address themselves to the Porte for all legitimate wishes or complaints. Any contravention of the orders given in the present firman will be punished. The powers of the governors and other functionaries will be defined. "All these favours," concludes the firman, "will only benefit those fulfilling their duties as faithful subjects; others will be excluded from them." The Grand Vizier is charged to take the necessary measures for the execution of these reforms, and particularly of the new measures of reform. This programme would satisfy all wishes of the Powers, if the Porte were able to carry out all these reforms. But it is much doubted

apless people on board could get some shelter in the cabins. But when no aid came and the flood returned in the afternoon, they were either washed off into the sea or driven for refuge into the rigging, where they clustered, perished with cold, and saw the night fall gain without the least sign of succour. All Monday night and Tuesday morning was passed by those poor emigrants and the crew upon the shrouds and spars, and many fell numbed and dying from their hold, the women and children suffering, of course, worst of all. The Deutschland had thrown up rockets and fired pistols when she first struck on Monday morning; but unfortunately her powder got wet, and she was therefore unable to make signals of distress with her guns during the day. At night again she sent up some rockets, and these were seen at Harwich, and yet it was not until late on Tuesday morning that the tug Liverpool went out to the aid, and, with some difficulty, took off eighty-five of the crew, and seventy of the passengers—as many, we regret to say, as sixty souls, having by that time perished. The abandoned ship breaks up upon the Knock, or gradually subsides into its treacherous depths, which have, indeed, buried already many a good ship before this German liner—deceived in her reckoning, and betrayed by the strange accident to her crew, drove on to the fatal shoal.

Scarcely had the excitement which the fate of the Deutschland created been in a slight degree appeased when a new fearful event happened which demanded more than 150 lives, and was brought on by the most diabolical wickedness scarcely to be believed when coming from a human being with the faculty to think and feel. On Saturday afternoon, the 11th instant, the good ship Mosel, of the North German Lloyd line, was lying off Bremerhaven quay, waiting to take in the remainder of her passengers with their luggage, while a tug, the Simson, was under her bow, ready to tow her out to sea. At the last moment two wazons, one filled with mailbags, and the other with personal baggage came on to the pier from Lloyd's Hall. Amongst the load of the last vehicle were noticed four boxes and a barrel, and as they were being deposited on the pavement of the quay the barrel exploded with terrible force. The quay was at that moment thronged with people, some passengers, some friends of those who wished them farewell, some spectators, some officials and crew of the steamer. Of all these about eighty were killed on the spot and ninety more or less severely wounded, of which latter about twenty more died and several other lives are despaired of. Many are even now, after a lapse of nine days missing, while on the roofs of the houses all round are still found single heads, arms, &c. The barrel which exploded had been prepared like a torpedo, containing nitro-glycerine, and a clock-work which was going silently in the barrel, and was calculated to explode after seven days and thereby to send the whole steamer and everybody and everything on it into the air. After the first shock was over and doctors and medical help had been called to the spot, the quay and the ships near offered a fearful sight. Where the chest and barrel fell a hole, seven feet deep, was found in the ground. The Mosel, which lay at the quay side with a considerable amount of freboard exposed to the force of the shock was wrecked almost to the water's edge; while all around were scattered and strewn in ghastly and hideous confusion, fragments of human bodies, shreds of clothing, and splinters of wreckage, swimming in pools of blood. The crew of the Simson has very severe losses, the steamer itself is dreadfully broken. The crew of the Mosel has been saved, so have all the passengers on board been saved, but the Mosel was severely hurt, and could only leave after three or four days' mendings; all the skylights were broken, all the cabin windows, &c., but great as these losses and damages are, they are nothing compared to the fact that by the most diabolical crime about 170 to 180 people were killed and wounded. One family of Bremen alone, of which about twenty-one members had assembled to wish good-bye to a younger son who was to go to America, has lost seventeen members, the young hopeful son amongst them. Several inspectors of the Lloyd Company are dead, others missing. The misery which this accident has brought on hundreds of people is indescribable. We hear that 56 widows and 135 orphans of the lower classes are exposed almost to starvation by this accident. A committee has at once been formed, and subscriptions to the amount of 100,000 marks have already been signed. When the doctors who had been called from Bremen to the spot of the disaster arrived, the cabins were searched in order to ascertain whether any more wounded people were perhaps to be looked after. A passenger was discovered lying on the floor with a dangerous wound in his temple, at first thought to have been caused by a splinter, but subsequently ascertained to be a pistol shot. It was found out that the exploded barrel had belonged to him, and after a rigorous process of interrogation the wounded man confessed his guilt. Words fail indeed to describe the horror which ran all through Europe at the hearing of this crime. Perhaps the loss of the City of Boston in 1870 is to be traced, if not to the same individual, to a similar cause. This man, whose name is William King Thomson, is of Brooklyn, New York, and some 30 years old. During the war of Secession he was a well-known blockade-runner. Fearing prosecution after the war, he went to Europe, and here changed his name to Thomas, and lived in Leipzig, and lately in Dresden, with his wife and four children; the wife, a young and very pretty lady, being completely unconscious of the true character of her husband. After his confession she was telegraphed to from Bremen and asked to rejoin her husband, who had fallen ill. She arrived some hours after with her youngest child and its nurse, which act alone proves that she knew nothing of her husband's deeds. The boxes which the man Thomas had in the ship are said to have been insured for 80,000 thalers, which amount he would have asked after the ship had sunk, from the insurance company. He himself intended to leave the Mosel at Southampton. After a few days he died of the consequence of the wound. Perhaps it is better so, as it would have been a severe task to find a punishment for such a crime.

The Christmas days are drawing near; and though, after such accidents and events as I have had to tell you in these lines, everybody feels sad at heart, and not in a humour for festivals, our children remind us of the good days that are in store for them, and which

## OUR ADELAIDE LETTER.

Our Chamber of Commerce have been discussing the desirability of establishing a tribunal of commerce, at which all commercial disputes can be settled. The Hon. William Morris, M.L.C., ventured to think that such a tribunal would never prove of much practical service; but it did not prevent the Chamber were against him. There was, however, some diversity of opinion as to whether the tribunal would be compulsory, and a motion in the negative was carried by a majority of one vote. However, ever, were adopted affirming that it is desirable to establish a tribunal for the trial of commercial cases that the court should be constituted of merchant judges, and that no judge should be paid, that it should not be compulsory upon either the trial, and that appeals should not be allowed.

Messrs. W Duffield and Co., the eminent millers of Perth, have had their new and best mill destroyed by fire. It is a pity that the catastrophe of the kind that they have had since they commenced business. They have two mills at Gawler—one, a new one, called the Victoria, which is situated near railway station, and the other, an old one, situated at the end of the town. The occurrence took place at the Victoria and in broad daylight while all the men were at work. The driver attached to one of the pair of stones got broken, the heavy weight fell down, and struck the exhaust-pipe, set alight the upper portion of the building. The windows were all open and the whole structure was soon in flames. It was found impossible to extinguish the fire, and all efforts were directed to a heap of boxes containing some 300 barrels of flour. The bulk of it was saved, but fire and water damaged a portion of it. There were insurances on the building for the sum of £8500, but the actual loss is estimated at about £6000 besides missing the business of the season.

We have followed your example in the way of cricket, and have managed to beat Melbourne in one innings only. We had a very strong representative team should be sent over here, but in consequence we were disappointed. The eleven selected to represent the bountiful colony of Melbourne were Slight, Murphy, Macdonald, Bell, Hunt, Kendall, Conway, Moray, and Gowler. As you are so good at batting, we were submitted to us it was felt that we had been sacrificed for the return match with Sydney, for which it was evident Melbourne was reserving her strength. You will see how little help for it, and we were obliged to make the best of what we could get. The Victorians made 29 in their first and 51 in their second innings, making a total of 80 runs in two innings. Our men—it must be recollected—were not even half as good in their first innings, though winning in one innings with seventy runs to spare. Our fielding and bowling were too much for the Melbourne players. Slight, Murphy, Macdonald, Bell, and Moray were the mainstays in the two innings, being caught off Whitridge's run in the first and second innings respectively. The Victorians were supposed to be very strong in bowlers, but our fellows seemed to do what they liked most successfully. Wynne, Gowler, and Kendall were the

COMPLIMENTARY BANQUET TO THE  
HON. JOHN FRAZER, M.L.C.

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am about to depart with my wife and family for the old country, with a view of restoring my own health, which has been impaired for some time past, and also with a view of giving my children the benefit of a residence in a more bracing climate, though I hope that they will become good Australians in time. (Cheers.) I landed upon these shores in the beginning of 1841 at the age of about 16 years. At that time everything was very much depressed in the colony. It was about to undergo a great crisis. There was a change coming on from the old order of things to the new. The country was travelling for a new birth, and in due time it came. Station property at that time, in common

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Mr. J. R. MONTAGU proposed "The Parliament of New South Wales be invited to accept the resignation of Mr. J. H. FRAYZAR from the office of Member of the Legislative Assembly for the district of the Darling Downs, in testimony to the excellence of his character. He has watched that gentleman's career, until he saw him receive the highest honours which the Government of New South Wales has ever conferred, and he has seen him take his place in the Legislature of his country."

The Hon. J. HAY said he took it as his duty to return thanks for that branch of the Legislature over which he had the honour to preside; and he had great pleasure in doing so. He had known Mr. FRAYZAR for many years connected with the Parliament continuously for a period of nineteen years, and he claimed for it, with all its faults, the credit of having made of him a man of such high character and of such high ability as to be one of the best for the country (Hear, hear). Parliament was pretty much what the spirit of the citizens made it—if it had shortcomings they were owing to the want of earnestness and to the part which the Government took in their best attention to the selection of those who were to represent them in Parliament. He looked upon the Legislature as a body of men who were chosen by the people, and he was sure that was the spirit by which the Parliament was actuated. They must admire the modesty of Mr. FRAYZAR, who had spoken of his hesitation in accepting a seat in Parliament. Mr. FRAYZAR was one of the inferior attainments raised in the most confident manner to the responsibilities which attend the representation of the people in the Legislature. He had seen more men than Mr. FRAYZAR in the Parliament of the country—(cheers)—whether in the Legislative Council or in the Legislative Assembly. He sincerely wished it might be their good fortune to have a man of his high standing and with the benefit of the experience he would derive from visiting the great countries of Europe and America (Applause). And he thought that the Legislature of the Parliament of the country once more. (Cheers.)

The Hon. A. BRYANT (Colonial Treasurer) also responded to the toast. He was glad to find this toast proposed at such an assembly, because he looked upon the Parliament as the best expression of the people's mind, and he was glad that the people themselves, and, therefore, it was fitting that on such an occasion it should form a toast, though they might have an opportunity of expressing their views on the subject at a later date. He was glad to hear that it was not that it became any member of Parliament to extend on particular view or another; they were chosen as the people's representatives, and he was glad to hear that they were to be so by working together for the good of their fellow-creatures, that they could hope to succeed. He had much pleasure in returning thanks. (Cheers.)

He then went on with a long and repeated call, and said that he was glad to hear that the Parliament was one night were enough; and, at all events, he had but little to add to what had been said. Whatever others might say, he was sure that the Parliament was the supreme power, was a most important thing; and he quite agreed that the Parliament would be always what the people would make it. He then referred to the intelligence of the public spirit, and the patriotism of the people, and said that he would be the Parliament of the country; and he was glad to hear that the Parliament was the one who was able for those who have an equality of rights in the country. He then said that he was glad to hear that they themselves had into Parliament to make laws for them. He then said that he was glad to hear that the Parliament contained samples of every race and every class of the people, and that he was glad to hear that they might have seen in the old country, and that every variety of animal was collected together. He then said that he was glad to hear that the Parliament was a wonderful institution. His hon. friend Mr. STUART then responded to the toast. He was glad to hear that the toast was to be white; but still they could meet there in perfect harmony. (Cheers.) This was a toast that he thought was very fitting, and he was glad to hear that it was so. He then said that he was glad to hear that the toast was to be white; but still they could meet there in perfect harmony. (Cheers.) This was a toast that he thought was very fitting, and he was glad to hear that it was so. He then said that he was glad to hear that the toast was to be white; but still they could meet there in perfect harmony. (Cheers.) This was a toast that he thought was very fitting, and he was glad to hear that it was so.

Mr. G. R. BIRN also responded to the toast, and concluded by proposing the toast of "The Ladies, coupled with the name of Mrs. Frazer," which was honoured enthusiastically.

Mr. FRAZER responded on behalf of Mrs. Frazer, and Mr. G. H. Reid returned thanks for the ladies generally.

Mr. JOHN HAY proposed the health of "The Chairman, which was drunk with much applause.

The CHAIRMAN returned thanks in appropriate terms, and the proceedings came to a conclusion shortly before 10 o'clock.

POST OFFICE ORDERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

SIR:—I understand that the hon. the Postmaster-General is about to make arrangements for issuing post-office orders payable to the order of the American Legation.

I would like to suggest to him, through your columns, that it would be an improvement to issue in duplicate one payable to the order of the Legation, so that should the first be lost or destroyed either by fire, by accident, or by mail steamer or otherwise, the second might be forwarded.

Under present arrangements an order must be presented within a certain time, and if it is not presented within that time, in transit, it would often be impossible to make out a duplicate within this time; besides the non-arrival of mail boats at the time expected would frequently cause great distress to poor people.

Orders might be drawn out in such a manner as to be exchangeable.

I remain, Sir, yours obediently

### POST OFFICE ORDERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD

Sir:—I understand that the hon. the Postmaster-General is about to make arrangements for issuing post-office orders payable in North America.

I would like to suggest to him, through your columns, that it would be an improvement to issue in duplicate order of exchange, one policy, so that should the first be lost or destroyed either by fire, or by the wreck of mail steamer or otherwise, the second might be forwarded.

Under present arrangements an order must be presented within a certain time, and if it is not presented in transit, it would often be impossible to take out a duplicate within this time; besides the non-arrival of mail steamer, and the time expected would frequently cause great distress to the holder.

Orders might be drawn out in sets something like bills of exchange.

I remain, Sir, yours obediently



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The *Otago Guardian* have agreed to order.

There is a decided preponderance of little barley. Oats will average 36 bushels per acre; wheat, 30; a rush for tickets for the De Murska regill has been lit with gas.

The principal evidence was given as hanging perfectly powerless, lying away. The wounded men Reidel was but steadily recovering. Young

trade and revenue returns of the  
ended 31st December 1875. *etc etc*

quantity of gold exported during that year. The revenue for the quarter was \$1,000,000. The shipping tonnage entered inwards was 108,367 tons. The quantity of gold exported during the year was 54,401,540 lbs., value \$1,000,000. The population was estimated at 1,000,000.

MAURITIUS.

and the end of the crop, which, as I  
of my previous letters, has not turned  
ed, some fine estates which, in fair  
eir owners a profit of £15,000 or  
ason failed to cover their outlay by  
to the present, for next year are

nessness is caused here from the of the best customers for our staple

y of sugar from us, compared to what  
years. In Australia, at no very distant  
some of the other settlements will no  
with us; and the Continental market,  
need thousands of tons of our produce  
and ordering from Mauritius entirely,  
ers of beetroot sugar.

—witness the increasing alio-fibre  
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ere. The alio used here, which is not  
" but the species termed in the West  
e," could, I imagine, be cultivated  
Australian colonies, and it hardly re-  
st will grow in the driest soil.

the unsatisfactory state of colonial  
making both ends meet was not easily  
appointments in the Government  
abolished, and public works of differ-  
be discontinued.

at the Cape of late. The gold and silver have not yet begun to yield, but for the most part the laborers receive moderate wages. Both the Cape and Natal are beginning to profit from the important consequences of the discovery of the gold fields.

**TERS OR PRINTERS?—**Not long the dock for misappropriating property, and the latter we were told materials were to be returned

This purported to be a report Bankruptcy Court, and after

but declined to restrain the editors, went on thus:—"A case was given, and in the course of it expressed an opinion that a judgment was drawn, and that the case was one of damages. It was, the Judge said, a young man in such a position,

should have passed a very severe sentence on him to abstain from drink for six months. Some of the in-  
whose avocation it is to hunt up journals have a very odd way of

and :—" On Saturday, Mr. J. C. Croner, held an inquest at the police-lane, concerning the death of who was drowned on the following day the coming to grief of a young man. The reporter says: "It was afterwards found that the boy's collar-bone was

Another announces, "protest against the vivisection of British Workman is about to Morpeth." A third tells of a stage was passing along New Bond-street turning into Northgate-street, "like both of its legs." Recording

...a nice day's sport was carried on  
the turf, all grass, over the lands of  
these hospitality was unbounded.  
walls, two bank drops, a water  
can." Telling of a man who lost  
a Belfast paper ended the  
first two shots at him; the first

with a couple of lives, like the  
 11, who "was run down by a pas-  
 12- sed ; he was injured in a similar  
 The Irish journalists, however,  
 13 of monopolising the manufacture  
 14 Irish brethren are equally clever  
 15 proved by sending the Princess

ing the Prince of Wales's second-  
 ble boy like his mother," and  
 Duke of Hamilton would shortly  
 ate Lady Mary Louise Elizabeth  
*her's Journal.*

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AUCTION SALES.

SUPERIOR COLONIAL PINE FLOORING BOARDS.

The ENTIRE CARGO of the Wallace and Bruce, just arrived from the Richmond River, with one of the largest assortments of Dressed Pine ever imported.

For Positive Unreserved Sale, at the Market Wharf, on WEDNESDAY, 23rd February, at 3 o'clock.

Highly Important to Timber Merchants, Builders, Contractors, Country Buyers, Shippers, and the Trade generally.

OILMEN'S STORES.

A LARGE SHIPMENT OF NEW GOODS.

100 Cases Coleman's White Starch  
100 Boxes ditto Windsor Blue  
120 Cases Whybrow's Eagle Pickles  
50 Ditto ditto, warranted ditto  
100 Ditto ditto Saled Oil, half-pints and pints  
30 Ditto Epps' Cocoa  
10 Ditto Taylor's ditto  
10 Ditto New Firm  
50 Boxes Elephant Brand  
50 Barrels Currants, a choice sample.

THIS DAY, Wednesday, 23rd February, at the City Mart.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

The above invoice of new and reliable goods.

250 BOXES DE ROUBAIN'S CANDLES, 8-model  
250 BOXES BRANDON'S, 5-model.

For Positive Sale, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

To Grocers, Storekeepers, Country Buyers, and the Trade generally.

L. E. THRELKELD has received instructions from the Importers to sell by auction, at the City Mart, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

250 boxes of the Wallace and Bruce, just arrived from the Richmond River, with one of the best assortments of colonial pine ever offered in the market, comprising—

12,000 T. & B. flooring boards  
15,000 assorted timber.

THIS DAY.

200 BOXES NEW ELEPHANT BRANDS.

For positive sale.

L. E. THRELKELD has received instructions from the Importers to sell by auction, at the City Mart, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

200 boxes, each 50 lbs., new Elephant brand, now landing in splendid order.

FANCY TEAS.

A Select Shipment of CHOICE FANCY TEAS, in small catty boxes.

Just arrived per R. M. S. NORMANDY, transhipped from Foochow.

For Positive Sale, THIS DAY.

Under instructions from the Consignees, Messrs. SCOTT, HENDERSON, and CO.

THESE HANDSOME LEAF TEAS are now on view at the City Mart, where the Wholesale and Family Grocers Trade are invited to examine and approve the various lines.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the Rooms, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

This select shipment of FANCY TEAS, in small boxes, invoiced from 14 lbs. to 9 lbs. each.

MAURITIUS SUGARS.

304 Bags  
171 Casks.

The Damaged Portion of the Cargo of David Auerbach, from Port Louis.

On account of whom it may concern.  
By order of Messrs. G. A. Lloyd and Co.

Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, February 23rd, at 11 o'clock.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the City Mart, THIS DAY, February 23rd, at 11 o'clock.

More or less damaged by sea water, Ex David Auerbach.

As per Survey Report, POKETS.

Light. Mch. Light. Mch.  
B - 46 22 D - 23  
P - 18 10 L - 27  
M - 1 7 H - 47  
N - 6 21 C - 21  
K - 6 10  
E - 10  
A - 13  
S - 32 28  
T - 22 60  
U - 19 18  
V - 30 14  
W - 158

Terms, cash.

COLONIAL LIGHT COUNTER SUGAR.

To Grocers, Storekeepers, Country Buyers, and the Trade generally.

L. E. THRELKELD has received instructions from the Importers to sell by auction, at the City Mart, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.

500 pockets fine light counter sugar, in small mats.

ARRIVAL OF THE TEA CLIPPER WILLIAM MANSON.

CONGOU TEAS.

ONE OF THE BEST AND MOST SUITABLE SHIPMENTS OF THE PRESENT SEASON.

The Entire Cargo of the Barque William Manson, from Foochow direct, comprising—

2319 Chests  
5964 Half-chests  
2341 Boxes  
200 Boxes finest S. O. Pekoe.

The Auctioneer is instructed to clear off the entire cargo at once, on WEDNESDAY, February 23rd, at the City Mart.

\* \* \* The master packages are now open at the City Mart, and will be found on inspection to possess FULL RICH FLAVOUR AND GOOD STRENGTH, evenly made, and of the most suitable description for export and country requirements, several lines being FIRST CROP TEAS, specially reserved for this shipment.

Under instructions from Messrs. JOHN FRAZER and CO.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the City Mart, THIS DAY, February 23rd, at 11 o'clock.

The entire cargo of choice and medium Congo teas of WILLIAM MANSON, from Foochow, comprising—

1119 chests  
5964 half-chests  
2341 boxes  
200 boxes finest S. O. Pekoe (short leaf).

WHITING.

For Unreserved Sale.

L. E. THRELKELD will sell by auction, at the Rooms, THIS DAY, 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock.

20 casks whitening.

AMERICAN CLEAR PINE AND SHELVING.

For Positive Sale.

At Town's Wharf, NEAR THE POST, THURSDAY AFTER-NOON, 24th instant, at 3 o'clock.

The Entire Shipment of SELECTED CLEAR PINE AND SHELVING, just arrived, ex REBECCA, from New York, comprising—

44,366 FEET 1-INCH CLEAR PINE  
4,374 FEET 1 1/2-INCH ditto  
6,983 FEET 2-INCH ditto  
5,505 FEET 2 1/2-INCH ditto  
8,366 FEET 3-INCH SHELVING BOARDS.

IMPORTANT TO TIMBER MERCHANTS, BUILDERS, CONTRACTORS, COUNTRY BUYERS, SHIPPERS, AND THE TRADE GENERALLY.

The above is the only Parcel of SELECTED CLEAR PINE now in the market, and is unquestionably one of the finest samples that has been offered at public sale for some time past.

L. E. THRELKELD has received instructions from the Importers, Messrs. R. Towns and Co., to sell by auction, at Town's Wharf, Miller's Point, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, 24th instant, at 3 o'clock.

The entire shipment of selected clear pine and shelving, just arrived, ex REBECCA, from New York.

WP—523 boards unselected shelving boards  
CWP—2342 pieces clear pine,  
assorted, 1 1/2, 2, and 3 inch.

\* \* \* No landing in splendid condition, and will be for positive sale on THURSDAY AFTERNOON, 24th.

Samples now on view.

PRELIMINARY.

ATTRACTIVE SALE OF BOOTS AND SHOES, LEATHER, ELASTIC WEBB, &c.

At the City Mart, 362, George-street, FRIDAY, 25th instant, at 11 o'clock.

Highly Important to Boot and Shoe Makers, Manufacturers, Country Buyers, Shippers, and the Trade generally.

L. E. THRELKELD has received instructions from the Importers, Messrs. R. Towns and Co., to sell by auction, at the City Mart, 362, George-street, FRIDAY next, the 25th instant, at 11 o'clock.

Several shipments of boots and shoes, comprising—

Women's, children's, and men's goods.  
Leather.  
Elastic web, &c., &c.

The above goods are selected from the best English and Continental makers, now landing in splendid condition.

\* \* \* Full particulars in future issue.

THE BARQUE FARAWAY.

For Positive Sale.

To close a particular account, by order of Messrs. R. TOWNS and CO., on THURSDAY, 23rd March, at the Land and Estate Sales Office, City Mart, 362, George-street, at 11 o'clock.

\* \* \* ALONG WITH THE VESSEL will be SOLD—

60 Tons New Casks  
2 Whaleships  
Cutting-in Tools  
Whaling Gear, &c., &c.

The delivery of the vessel will be taken by the purchaser as she now lies, after discharge of her inward cargo.

L. E. THRELKELD has received instructions from the Importers, Messrs. R. Towns and Co., to sell by auction, at the City Mart, 362, George-street, THURSDAY, 23rd March, at 11 o'clock.

The fine substantially-built barque Faraway, with all her whaling gear, &c., as she now lies at Town's Wharf, where intending purchasers are invited to inspect her prior to day of sale.

The Fee may be paid in cash under special survey, at Quebec, in 1874, and has since been kept in thorough order by her present owners.

Her dimensions are—

Length 142 feet 6 inches  
Breadth 36 " 6  
Depth 15 " 9

She is 411 tons register, carries a cargo of 450 tons dead weight, or about 300 tons oil.

She sails well, and has always delivered her cargoes in good order. Can go to sea with 60 tons ballast; has a full set of sails with yards and masts.

With a comparatively small outfit she can be fitted for a whaling voyage for which she is well adapted; her present command reports that she is in every way suited for such employment.

Terms at sale.

Absolute and Final Sale.

On Saturday next, at 3 o'clock.

On the Ground, Rosewater Estate, close to Newtown Road.

The remaining unsold CHOICE ALLOTMENTS, 12 ALLOTMENTS PEARL-STREET, 7 DITTO COMMODORE-STREET.

Splendid Elevated Ground.

TERMS—Most advantageous, are only 2s. in the 2 cash deposits, rest by instalments of 1s. in the 2 bearing 6 per cent. interest.

F. BRADLY will sell by public auction, as above, to close account.

10 VALUABLE BUILDING SITES.

The Auctioneer wishes to inform those who desire to secure a freehold in a most healthy suburb to attend this sale.

Title, Torrens' Act.

Wonderful Easy Terms.

Refreshments provided.

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Bees will leave Auctioneer's office at 2 o'clock on day of sale.

F. BRADLY, Land-Salesman, 183, Pitt-street.

FINE TEAS.

Balance of the Cargo ex Minna.

being the best selection of FIRST CROP TEAS, secured at the opening of the season, and by the latest sailing ship leaving Foochow.

Under instructions from Messrs. Brown and Co.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON will sell by auction, at the Rooms, 273, George-street, on THURSDAY, February 24th, at 11 o'clock.

200 boxes finest Saled Congo teas, 1200 chests medium to fine breakfast saloon congoes 1800 half-chests ditto ditto.

Full particulars of which will be given.

STEAM LAUNCH FAIRY.

SALE POSTPONED TO SATURDAY, 26th.

The present special want of most people who have any water business is a Good Steam Launch.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON are instructed to offer by public sale, at the Queen's Wharf, George-street, on SATURDAY next, the 26th instant, at 11 o'clock.

This first-class steam launch, built by the late Mr. J. H. FAIRY, is a most powerful and efficient engine and boiler, manufactured by the eminent engineers Messrs. Platt, of London.

The launch is 18 feet 9 inches beam, is one of the most useful crafts of the kind in the harbour, possesses every requisite for comfort and convenience, and is open for inspection.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

That compact Cattle Station, known as LONG BEACH, situated on the Gwydir River, near INVERELL, in the NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT.

Together with 400 well-bred Breeding Cattle, a large proportion of which are of the Gwydir River, a few Good Horses, Store, Plant, and Purchased Land.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON have received instructions from F. A. Whalley, Esq., to sell by public auction, at the City Mart, 362, George-street, on THURSDAY, February 24th, 1876.

This first-class cattle station, which has a frontage of seven miles to the Gwydir River, and embraces an area of about 25,000 acres of fine grazing country.

The run is substantially fenced on one side, and enclosed on the other by natural boundaries.

The improvements comprise a comfortable, newly-built brick house of six rooms, with detached brick kitchen, brick tank, coach-house, and stable, large barn, store, and blacksmith's shop; large fruit garden, cultivation paddock of 16 acres, securely enclosed with substantial split fence.

The country is well grassed and permanently watered, and the improvements are valuable and extensive.

Early inspection is invited, as this compact little property is for positive sale.

Terms at sale.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE LATE C. C. MACDONALD, Esq.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON have received instructions from the Executors to sell by public auction, at the Hall of Commerce, the Exchange, Sydney, on THURSDAY, March 16th, 1876.

The whole of the well-known estates of the late C. C. MACDONALD, comprising—

BURNETT and DARLING DOWNS, QUEENSLAND, and known as the Auburn, Condah, and Stockyard Creek Stations.

(embracing 10 large blocks of country) which all situate and form a compact block of about 1100 square miles of the best of the Burnett district—splendidly grassed, fine open grazing and fattening country, the capabilities of which may be fully estimated.

100,000 sheep, and 4000 cattle.

These runs are admirably and permanently watered throughout.

With the station will be sold the following stock—

About 64,000 sheep (including 11,000 wethers)  
2390 head of cattle  
300 horses.

Full particulars of which will be published previous to the sale.

Also, 3300 acres freehold land, some plant, &c., &c.

THE STATION IMPROVEMENTS are most complete in every respect, and are all in good repair, and are fully sufficient for the management of so extensive a pastoral property.

TERMS—One-third cash; balance by promissory notes of one, two, and three years, at 7 per cent. interest, secured by mortgage.

As early inspection is invited.

For further particulars, please apply to GILCHRIST and WESTON, 273, George-street, Sydney.

NEW ENGLAND DISTRICT.

SERPENTINE and LOWER STYX STATIONS, about 40 miles from Armidale, and joining those well-known runs, Ball's Gorge, Fletcher's Wallumbilla, and Rink's Park, adjoining the Spring Hill and Mole's Main estates.

With about 1000 quiet well-bred Cattle, to be mustered and delivered.

TERMS—Half cash down, balance at one and two years, with interest added at 7 per cent.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions from the Executors to sell by auction, at the Hall of the Chamber of Commerce, THIS DAY, 23rd February, at 12 o'clock.

The Serpentine and Lower Styx Stations, in the New England District, together with the Rink's Park, and the Mole's Main (more or less), to be mustered and delivered.

These runs comprise a large area of thoroughly sound, well-grassed country, and are abundantly watered in all seasons.

The improvements consist of a dwelling-house containing 4 rooms, kitchen with 3 bedrooms attached; stock-yard, capable of working 2000 head of cattle; cultivation, including large weanling and horse paddocks.

No purchased land or selections.

The herd is quiet and well bred, and the bulls used for some years have been chiefly from at Turrawilla, from imported stock, also Warrah, Ravenswood, and other good blood.

All horses, stores, belongings, &c., will be given in to the purchaser after muster.

The Auctioneers would draw the attention of station-holders, who are now suffering from the protracted dry season, to this desirable property, as it is not half stocked, there being room for 2000 head more cattle, which could be immediately removed there, as there is abundance of grass and water.

Any further particulars can be obtained from the agents, G. M. PITT and SON.

VALENTIA, ONION'S POINT.

Balance of Allotments and other Water Frontages, SPLENDIDLY SITUATED.

ABUNDANCE OF PURE SPRING WATER.

First-class Cottages, and property leading through BUNTER'S HILL and BYDE.

THE LANE COVE STAMEN leave the Lane-street Wharf, at 10 o'clock, every half-hour, and the property is within fifteen minutes' steam from the City.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from H. H. Fellingham, Esq., to sell by auction, on the ground, on SATURDAY, 26th February, at 4 o'clock.

The balance of the above most valuable property.

The water frontage to the Lane Cove River has magnificent islands, and commands beautiful views of Balmori, Cockatoo Island, the harbour, and situate near Hunter's Hill.

Time under Torrens' Act.

Terms: 10 per cent. cash, 15 per cent. in 3 months, and the balance in 1, 2, and 3 years, bearing 6 per cent. interest.

\* \* \* Special Stewards will leave the Circular Quay at half-past 2 o'clock, to convey intending buyers to the ground.

\* \* \* Lithographs are now ready, and tickets for stamens can be obtained at the office of the Auctioneer, W. PRITCHARD, 143, Pitt-street.

THIS DAY.

WEDNESDAY, 23rd February, at 4 o'clock.

On account and risk of former purchasers.

FREEHOLD COTTAGES AND ALLOTMENTS OF LAND.

Wellington-street, North Kensington, close to the Newmarket Railway Station, and adjoining the property of A. Hinchcliffe, Esq.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, on the ground, THIS DAY, Wednesday, 23rd February, at 4 o'clock.

On account and risk of the former purchaser.

3 newly-erected cottages, built of weathered stone and stone masonry, containing each 3 and 4 rooms respectively.

Also, Several allotments of land.

No reserve. Terms, cash.

COTTAGE, WITH WATERFRONT FRONTAGE.

Onion's Point, Parramatta River.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, on the ground, Valentia, Onion's Point, on SATURDAY, 26th February, at 4 o'clock.

A cottage, having a frontage to Mount Morris-street of 60 feet, and a frontage to the water, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, &c.

There is an abundant supply of pure fresh water, and it commands magnificent views of Lane Cove and Parramatta Rivers.

TERMS AT SALE.

COTTAGE, AND ALLOTMENTS OF LAND, Stephen-street, CAMPERDOWN, near St. John's College.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from Mrs. M. Cooke to sell by public auction, on the ground, on MONDAY, 25th February, at 4 o'clock.

A three-roomed cottage, and allotments of land, having a frontage of 75 feet to Stephen-street.

Freehold. Terms, cash.

SURRY HILLS.

FIVE DWELING-HOUSES, Nos. 8, 10, 12, 14, and 16, ARTHUR-STREET, OF CROWN-STREET, ALEXANDER-STREET, and FOUR HOUSES, Nos. 69, 61, 63, and 65, ALEXANDER-STREET, OF ARTHUR-STREET.

The above will be offered in LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS.

A PLAN of the subdivision can be inspected at the Rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd MARCH, at 11 o'clock.

All that Block of Land having 500 FEET frontage to ARTHUR-STREET, 100 FEET frontage to CROWN-STREET, and 100 FEET frontage to ARTHUR-STREET, north of 88 feet, and bounded on the west by a lane upon which are erected the following—

FIVE DWELING-HOUSES, Nos. 10, 12, 14, and 16, ARTHUR-STREET, OF CROWN-STREET, and FOUR HOUSES, Nos. 69, 61, 63, and 65, ALEXANDER-STREET, OF ARTHUR-STREET.

FOUR DWELING-HOUSES, on stone foundations, each containing 4 rooms and wash-house, each with large hay-loft over.

RENTAL, 5s. 6d. per acre, or 2332 14s. PER ANNUM.

\* \* \* A very desirable and favourably situated city freehold investment, in a popular locality close to the beautiful and healthy recreation grounds, MOORE PARK, a position where houses always command a premium.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE WILLIAM JONES, Esq.

BROUGHTON ESTATE, GARYTOWN, BALMAIN.

BEAUTIFULLY-SITUATED FAMILY VILLA RESIDENCE, improved GROUNDS, 2 ACRES in CHURCH and MARY STREETS, overlooking IRON COVE, near the mansion and grounds of JOHN KEEF, Esq.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mrs. W. Jones to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 23rd February, at 11 o'clock.

All that Block of Land, being lots 5, 6, 7, and 8 of section 6 of the subdivision of the BROUGHTON ESTATE, GARYTOWN, comprising 2 ACRES, and having the following frontages—

132 feet to MARY STREET  
600 feet to CHURCH STREET  
132 feet to GLOVER STREET

Upon which is erected a most tastefully built and tastefully finished STORE VILLA RESIDENCE, with wide verandah in front, and containing spacious entrance hall, 6 large and lofty rooms, detached brick kitchen and scullery, servants' apartments, approach from house by covered way; also brick laundry, with room over, 3-stable, hay-loft, coach-house, man's room, fore-lawn, &c., &c., at the rear. Abundance of good water from well on the premises.

The grounds in front of the residence are well fenced into gravel walks and tastefully-arranged garden plots, planted with choice descriptions of flowering shrubs and evergreens. And at the rear is a well-manured orchard of healthy trees, comprising the best and most choice kinds of summer fruit.

\* \* \* This is a delightfully-situated family villa residence, in a refined and picturesque spot on the eastern shore of IRON COVE, opposite the BROUGHTON ESTATE, and BARNSTAPLE MANOR, the property of B. C. RIDD, Esq.

The position is elevated, and the view, on all sides very extensive and grand, embracing the delightful placid waters of Iron Cove, Parramatta River



"\$50 be voted for the keep of a horse for the surveyor, and clerk of works for the current year." Carried.

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According to last surveys from Australia, the quantities that may be here by that date will not be large. Prices now, say 10 per cent lower than at the corresponding period last year, may be lower at a wide level, but may not undergo substantial alteration during the next months. We have to report a further decline in value. At the present public sales of Silver Plate skins, in Liverpool and elsewhere, competition was inactive, and only about half the quantities offered were sold. As compared with October, prices there were, show a reduction of 4d per lb., and old skins were

selected, even at a reduction of 1/2 to 1d per lb. At the London quotations about 800 bales Australian, and 100 bales Cape, were offered, and, with trifling exceptions, were all sold. Prices were regular, but, on the whole, do not show much change; had the quantity been more important, a decline, in sympathy with River Plate skins would probably have been marked. The quotations (space is intended for average Alrosa bay shipments; western Province and London sorted skins will obtain an advance on these prices. The severe losses with which the following trading has been beset throughout this year has for the present considerably de-

and consumption. Even at the present reduced value of silver there is very little room for profit, and, until the margin is greater, can only expect a slow trade.

**The Melbourne Argus of Saturday reports of the markets:—**

As the Import market business is quiet, and though a very fair demand for actual requirements is reported, very little of special importance has come before us. Threadstuffs are slow, but firm, and are wanted, and £11 is bid to £11 10s, according to brand.

be realized, but there is not much offering, country brands at present being scarce. What is steady. We hear of sales being made at 34 1/2, but, as far as we can learn, nothing over has been sold to-day. Feeding grains are dull and neglected. There is no market for oats, and transactions are in consequence unimportant. Potatoes range from 34 to 34 1/2. Maize is steady at 34 1/2. We do not hear of much being done privately, but under the hammer a parcel of 478 bags was cleared off this forenoon at 45 1/2. Candles are very firm, and there is a large inquiry for export. We are desirous to correct a

make in regard to the price of the parcel of 1500 boxes, the sale of which was reported yesterday, is in bond, and not so, as the report paid, at which further large sales are still pending. The figure a good demand for brewing crystal sugar, and a few hundred bags of yellow have been placed at £31. The Evening News, with a cargo from Mauritius, has been announced this afternoon, but she brings no later news than the Garmouth, duplicates her correspondence having been received by the latter vessel several days ago. A parcel of 50 boxes Dundee cornmeal, somewhat irregular in weight, has changed hands on private terms for £100, and is to be sent to the Straits about

report a decrease in the number of purchases have been quoted at 15 to 24 for good condition corn, and 15 to 24 for good medium corn, and with a very brisk inquiry, and numerous sales, have been made in parcels up to 100 sacks in a line at 24, duty paid. Corn is coming in more slowly, 100 cases of halves and others have been taken up at a very full price. Hops are meeting with some favor. A line of 70 cases Kent 1879's has found a purchaser on terms which is the sample was not prime. In almonds, Newman's bulk raisins, palm, coffee bought, according to contract, at 15 to 17 1/2. Trade parcels have been quoted at

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

The following notifications appear in the *Government Gazette* published yesterday morning:—

**APPOINTMENTS.**—Mr. John Marshall to be bailiff of the Warden's Court for the Parkes and McGuigan's division of the Laachlan mining district—such appointment to take effect from the first instant. Mr. Thomas Channon to be station-master at Hill End, vice Mr. Raper. Mr. William Raper to be station-master at Dubbo, vice Mr. Channon. Mr. J. C. Peters as an additional trustee for the reserves at Manly Beach.

**EXTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.**

**KISS.**—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horse, Vehicles, &c.  
**DEBT AND CO.**—At their Wool Warehouses, at 10, Leather; at  
2, 30, Wool, Sheepskins.  
**BRIDGE.**—At his stores, at 10, Leather; at his Wool Ware-  
house, at 3, Wool, Sheepskins.  
**JOHN AND LISTER.**—On the Premises, 130, Forbes-street,  
Woolloomooloo, at 2, Household Furniture and Effects, Bow-

big-machine, &c.; at their Rooms, at 11, Clothing, &c.; at 4, sundries.

**MOORE AND CO.**—At the Bazaar, at 2 and 3, Transformed Pledges.

**J. HUGHES AND CO.**—On the Premises, 92, Bathurst-street East, at 11, stock-in-Trade of a Watchmaker; Furniture, &c.

**TRANKER.**—At his Rooms, at 11, Drapery, Woolens, Clothing, Fancy Goods, Sewing-machine, &c.

**LADLEY, NEWTON, AND LAMB.**—At their Rooms, at 11, Japanese Curios, American Chairs, Pier Glasses, &c.; at 26,

MEYER-BUILDING, Cumberland-street, at 11, household furniture and effects.

THE CITY AUCTION COMPANY.—At the Rooms, at 11, City and suburbs, Property, Minerals Tin Mine and Flint, &c.

W. THOMAS.—At 11, City Mart, at 11, Sugars, Teas, &c.—at the Market Ward, at 3, Flooring boards &c.

WITCHARD.—On the Ground, Wellington-street, North Kingston, at 4, Cottages and Land.

M. PITT AND SON.—At Ellis and Co's Yard, at 11, Pitt Wharf; at the chamber of Commerce, at 12, serpentine and lower St. James's. &c.

**N. TREBEC.**—At his Rooms, at 11, Jougha Station.  
**NAUMHAN.**—On the premises, Newtown Road, at 11, Household Furniture, and Effects.  
**BRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.**—At their Store, at 10.30, Leather; at Veteran Hall, near PATRIMANIA, at 11, Cows, Horses, Bulls, Ploughs, Harrows, Spring-cart, Harrows, Waggon, &c.  
**WIDEN, HILL, AND CLARK.**—At their Produce Store, at 10.30, Leather.  
**L. BARKER.**—At his Produce Store, at 10, Leather.

**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.**—The only business the paper for to-day is the order of the day for the second reading of the Medical Bill.

Rifles, assembled on the Rifle Range to compete for their annual trophies, consisting of articles useful and ornamental, to the value of about £7, provided from subscription and company funds. The weather was very unsettled, which, no doubt, made the attendance smaller than it would have been; as it was, there were 25 members present, who were handicapped on a liberal scale. There were 20 prizes provided, with an additional prize for the sweet scorer, handicap included. The prizes consisted of

The following articles:—aluminum, bronze, figures, crest, name, toilet set, vase, mementoes, pipes, courier bag, water cooler, water bottle and glasses, butter dish, glass, figures, tobacco jar, glove boxes, pocket knives, etc. The prize for the lowest score was an artistically decorated wooden spoon, which has to be held for one year, then to be handed over to the lowest scorer next year. Corporal Jones made top score with 60 points, but private Nicholson, with 41 points and 19 handbags took first prize: diamonds!

ing several shots passed over the range, these no doubt added to reduce the scoring. After the shooting was over the men were marched to the pavilion, where the prizes were displayed, and after the scores were made up, the winners were called in their order to select for themselves. The following are the scores, with handicap added:—

Private Nicholson	41	10	51	Private J. Bailey...	36	11	35
Sergeant Rieck	50	50	50	Donnelly	17	12	35
Private Frost	41	3	45	A. Frowa	16	15	37
Private Monerville	41	41	43	Walter	25	5	30
Hobbs	26	15	43	H. M. Keary	16	15	38
Bushelle	41	41	43	Goodwin	27	7	38
Private D'Arrietta	40	40	40	Col. Sargent, Gee	27	—	—
Private Visser	35	35	38	Private Chapman	11	13	38
Neale	34	3	37	Prince	18	6	38

Private Hardy	...	33	3	36	Doherty	...	7	15	29
Private Mosser	...	24	10	34	Judge	...	8	13	21
Sergeant May	...	21	13	35	G. Roberts	...	13	10	23
Corporal Cox	...	21	15	36					

This was also the last competition for a silver challenge cup, presented by the company to the member who will make the highest individual score during the year at 40, 500, and 600 yards. This goes to Lieutenant D'Arville, who made 62 points, the next highest scores being private

year 50, and corporal Rice 50. The cup has to be held for one year, and becomes the property of him who shall win it three times. During the month the Company have finished a series of matches for subscription prizes, which have been fired for twelve times by subscribers only, as a aggregate of nine shootings being taken, the highest aggregate to take one-half the amount, the second three-tenths, third two-tenths, to be shot under Company hand-p. The following is the result:—1st prize Corporal

**PROSPECTING IN GIPPSLAND.**—The following particulars of the prospecting operations of the party in charge of Mr. Manning have appeared in *Victorian Pioneer*:—"Rosedale Track, Gippsland Range. February 10th, 1894. The party consisted of Mr. Manning, Colour-Sergeant (see tied for third place, but lost on shooting off.

1876. We shifted our main camp on the 25th January, near Mount Fatigue, in N.E. direction, about 10 miles out from the Yankam track. Have crossed out (in-  
jected) the country for miles from the main track, and find has a very barren appearance; the gullies are very steep and bare, showing no indication of gold whatever. We have explored the gullies for miles with the same result, most of them as bare as a billiard-table, and of hard sandstone. We have since shifted our main camp in a north-west direction.

the Roessdale track, about half a mile west of Brethren. The country here is not so mountainous, and gullies not so deep. Our main camp is now in the centre of the heads of great many creeks and rivers, and looks a more likely country for gold than any we have passed through. We find a fine quartz on the sides of the hills and in the gullies, the first we have seen since we left Stockyard Creek. We have not got any gold yet, but have every reason to believe we shall find it.

appearance of the country, which will take some time to protect thoroughly. The undergrowth is very thick and difficult to get through, and as we get nearer the level country makes are more plentiful. Killed five in one and a half hour.—HARRY MANNING, Leader."











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Buckell, payee BUSKIN'S, lead by  
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**COTTAGE** - To LET, near Station,  
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**VILLA**, Ponds Bay, 6 LETS; as  
by R. Pendergast, Esq. - A most  
convenient, repairs with every convenience;  
8 rooms, with good garden, between  
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Vauclough, 149, King-street.

**Small HOUSE** - To LET, for three  
applies at Tolliver, Boscawen Bay.

**new RESIDENCE**, 155, Milbourne  
Park, to LET; and the whole of the  
Furniture and effects for SALE, in case  
the owner is leaving for England, 12 rooms  
dining, contains 10 bed rooms, 12 rooms,  
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**Lt. Curry Hill**, 6 rooms, large yard, 155  
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**new** March 2nd, Grant's, 8 rooms, four-  
parent Clerkenwell Hotel, between  
and Mackenzie and Cape, No. 91, Pitt.

**Unfinished HOUSE** - To LET. Apply R.  
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**LET, Ocean View HOUSE**, furnished,  
dining, and drawing rooms; eleven other  
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**ROAD** - To LET, highly-finished  
RESIDENCE, containing every conveni-  
ment extensive view; water and gas,  
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a magnificent Family Residence, complete  
residence, to be let at a very low price,  
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**BRIDGE ROAD** - To LET, a handsome  
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**TO LET**, convenient HOUSE,  
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**TO LET**, CLYTHE HOUSE, near  
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s. Rent, 2s. Key at painter's shop.  
COTTAGE, 4 rooms and kitchen, large  
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Ferry, 7 rooms kitchen, garden, &c.;  
A. F. Josephson, 110, S. Elizabeth-street.  
Road, Elizabeth Bay, an elegant little  
COTTAGE, gas, water, bath, every con-

with early possession, the HOUSE is in Miller-street, St. Leonard's, now occupied by Mr. Apply to P. Lord, Leaden. St.

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**Comfortable Family COTTAGE**, in Elizabeth-street, suitable for a large family; excellent water; garden back and to the W. Taylor, on premises.

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